

Treasurer of Pres. Church,

Dear Sir;

Please find
enclosed two dollars (2)
to apply on Radio fund.

Respectfully Yours
Mrs. H. Micaly.

Lockport, Jan. 1927

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Rev. Stewart M. Robinson N.Y. 1927

Dear Sir I am writing
on behalf of the shut ins, in and
around Newfane who listen to
your Sunday Morning Sermons
Broadcast over the Radio,
And they wish to express their
Appreciation of your fine Sermons
Also the music & singing,
It means much to those old
People living on lonely country
roads,
And it was wonderful kind of
you, to ask the People of Hess
Road to listen in Sunday

Morning. It means so much
to the Shut-ins to be able to
hear a fine sermon every
Sunday Morning and they want
you to know that they appreciate
the Privilege. very much.

Yours Sincerely
Newfane, Shut-ins



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1927.

Rev. Stewart M. Robinson,
50 Spruce Street,
Lockport, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Robinson:

I was very pleased to hear from you the other day, and to know that you and your family had such a nice Christmas. We certainly did here, and enjoyed every minute of it.

I am looking forward ever so much to spending a Sunday with you in Lockport some time before the end of January, as I am most anxious to be with you in your own church. I will let you know later what Sunday I can get away, and if it is convenient for you, I will certainly plan to be there that Sunday.

You were very kind to ask for the titles of the talks this fall, and they are as follows:

The first talk of the year was an introductory talk for the series entitled, "Men before God;" text, "Thou oughtest."

Second: "Lion Taming." Daniel. "Is thy God able to deliver thee from the lions?"

Third: "A Laugh, a Sneer and a Trick." Nehemiah. "I am doing a great work, so that I cannot come down."

Fourth: "Beware of Imitations." Moses. "Moses, whom the Lord knew face to face."

Fifth: "Royal Rottenness." David. "David encouraged himself in the Lord his God."

Sixth: "Giants and Grasshoppers." Joshua. "I will not fail thee, nor forsake thee."

Seventh: "Priceless Porridge." Esau. "See to it that no one turns to a profane life as Esau did."

Eighth: "Thanks." Elijah. "It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord."

Ninth: "A Case of Blues." Elijah. "Descend Thou now, oh Lord; take away my life, for I am not better than my fathers."

Tenth: "Gigantic Smallness." Elijah. "And behold there came a voice unto him and said, 'What doest thou here, Elijah?' "

Eleventh: "How to Drink." Gideon. "'Not by might, nor by power, but by My spirit,' saith the Lord of hosts."

Twelfth: "Feminine Distraction." Samson. "Can one go upon hot coals and his feet not be burned?"

Thirteenth: "Once a Year." Christmas Lesson. "Our Saviour, Jesus Christ, Who gave Himself for us."

Fourteenth: "Looking Backward." First New Year's Talk. "Let the dead bury their dead."

Last Sunday: "Looking Forward." Second New Year's Talk. "Your old men shall dream dreams, and your young men shall see visions."

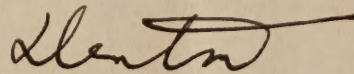
Next Sunday: "Mind Your Own Business." Baalam's Ass.

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This is rather a long and varied list, but I trust it is what you asked for.

Here is wishing you just the very best of New Years, and continued success in your great work. With kindest regards and Happy New Years to both Mrs. Robinson and the family of three,

Ever your friend,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Helen M. Robinson". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

DM/LP

Pikeville College

REV. JAMES F. RECORD, PH. D., D. D., PRESIDENT

PIKEVILLE, KENTUCKY

January 3, 1927.

Rev. Stewart M. Robinson,
First Presbyterian Church,
Lockport, New York.

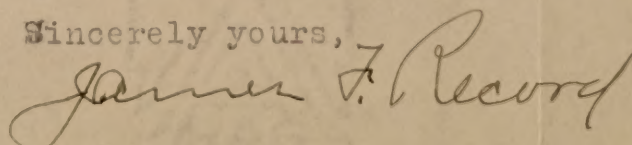
My dear Brother Robinson:

I was delight to get your letter of December 28, saying that you could be with us in our meetings this year. The Presbyterian Church here unites with the College in these meetings and I delayed writing you until I knew whether it would be agreeable to the church to have the meetings at the specified time.

The date most suitable for us is from February 22 to March 3rd. That will give us ten days and will let you away from here in time to be home for your services on the first Sunday in March.

Our plan in the past has been to have a service in the chapel at some hour in the morning and preaching at the church at the evening hour. Of course, we have the student body at the chapel service and the evening meetings at the church have been largely attended. The church and school are so closely united with each other that we have all felt that these joint meetings brought better results for both the church and school than separate meetings would. An hour is fixed each day for conference between the leader of the meeting and any students who might want to confer with him. I feel certain that you are the sort of man who will get close to these students and again I say that I rejoice that you are coming to us. With every good wish, I am

Sincerely yours,



Dict JFR

January 4th, 1927.

Mrs. Joseph A. Worthy,
198 Westmount Ave.,
Toronto, Ont.

My dear Mrs. Worthy:

Thank you very much for your letter of December 29th and for the generous gift of \$5.00 for the Radio Fund. I enjoyed my week-end in Toronto very much, and had the privilege of meeting a great many friends who have listened to our radio service from time to time. I feel very well acquainted and very much at home in Toronto due to the kindness of radio friends who have communicated with me by mail and who were very gracious to me while I was a visitor there.

I esteem you one of my very good friends there because you have been kind enough to write us more than once I think.

With all good wishes for the New Year, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

Rev S. M. Robinson

Dear Sir, Dec 29th/26

I am enclosing \$5 for the Radio Fund. I want to tell you we enjoyed your sermon so much last Sunday morning. We had just remarked why do not people have the same feeling all through the year. What a different world it would be. We had a young Sunday School Teacher "listening in" with us who writes shorthand. She took down some thoughts to repeat to her class that afternoon. When you are Broadcasting you never know how many it will effect. I must tell you I have your Photo after all. when you were in Toronto The Daily Star had it in Fridays paper. so I cut it out and keep it in my Bible. I imagined you a big dark man. excuse the personality as you know I am a shut in so am rather spoiled. Wishing you every success through the coming year.

Yours sincerely (Mrs) Joe a worthy

198 Westmount Ave. Toronto, Ont.

January 4th, 1927.

Mrs. George Gerstang,
90 Buffalo St.,
Hamburg, N.Y.

My dear Mrs. Gerstang:

Thank you very much for your kind letter of December 28th and for the enclosure you sent. We appreciate very much the kind remembrances we have from time to time from members of the radio congregation.

These letters from our friends outside form a very pleasant connection between us and that large number of people whom we probably will never see. I am happy to know that the radio is a means of pleasure and blessing to you.

With all good wishes for the New Year, I am,

Sincerely yours,

12/28/26 -
Rev. S. M. Robinson.

Dear Sir,

I wish to tell you how your sermons,
+ singing also ringing before service
of the clear toned church bell, we
hear on our Radio per Wham station
+ I trust you will accept the
enclosed offering from me in way I
send it + use it for or in any way
you so choose although I am an
Episcoplain yet any Protestant
church any one can receive good
from if one so desires, + I must say
the gentleman who sang last 2 services
was very good. *that is from well wisher*

Mrs George Gerstung
90 Bflo. St. Hamburg - N.Y.

P. S. As my health is such I
go out very little, makes it so
hearing sermons per Radio more
pleasant, + read how many of
shut-in etc. also can enjoy listening
through a Radio.

January 6th, 1927.

President James F. Record,
Pikeville College,
Pikeville, Ky.

My dear Dr. Record:

I have your letter of January 3rd telling me the date on which you folks have your series of meetings. The schedule as you outline it appeals to me and I shall be happy to prepare to do as you suggest.

We have our Young Peoples' Meeting here on Monday evening, February 21st. I could take a train out of Buffalo that night and be in Columbus early in the morning, and if you can tell me the quickest way to get to Pikeville from there, I think I could make it by the evening of Tuesday the 22nd. I take it that you wish to have the first meeting on that day. Of course if you wish it I will come down Sunday night arriving late Monday and make some other arrangements for our Young Peoples' Meeting here in Lockport.

Please do just as you wish about this. I make the suggestion not knowing whether or not you wish to have a meeting on the morning of the 22nd.

Our enlarged family is all well and happy. I hope you and the others at Pikeville had a very delightful holiday season and have entered upon the new year with enthusiasm and joy. I am certainly looking forward to coming to you with the keenest anticipation.

With all good wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

January 7th, 1927.

Mr. Denton Massey,
Massey-Harris Company,
Toronto, Canada.

My dear Denton:

Thank you very much for your letter of January 3rd. I am very glad to have the list of subjects. It is one of the most interesting I know of. Have you ever thought of writing up this series of talks and putting it into book form? I believe it would be very interesting to teachers and speakers to young men. Perhaps in the preface you might tell very briefly about the class. I think also it would be by the young men who come and with-al might sell on the market and be a source of much gratification to you.

As I think of all our Universities with their Bible study groups and such like, with undergraduate teachers, it seems to me that there would be many who would pick up this book with avidity and find much in it that would be stimulating and useful. Also writing is a great way to train yourself for speaking, the work you would do in going over and changing, shortening, improving, these talks for the press would be almost as good as a course in public speaking.

We certainly will be delighted to see you whenever you can come over.

With all good wishes to your family and yourself, and my friends in the class, and Miss Peters in the office, I am,

Sincerely yours,

January 19th, 1927.

President James F. Record,
Pikeville College,
Pikeville, Ky.

My dear Mr. Record:

It would be perfectly convenient for me to leave here on Sunday night, February 20th and arrive at Pikeville Monday evening. This would allow us to start the meetings on Tuesday the 22nd the day you first suggested. It is Washington's birthday and might make a good time to begin.

If you have any desire at all to begin on the 22nd please let me know and I will come. Otherwise if it is a matter of indifference whether we begin Tuesday or Wednesday, I will come down Monday night hoping to reach you Tuesday evening and begin Wednesday.

With all good wishes to you and my many friends there, I am,

Cordially yours,

January 18th, 1927.

Mr. J. J. Koerber,
14 Midway St.,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Koerber:

I discovered your letter of December 31st in my pocketbook the other day and wondered whether I answered it at the time or not. Your name is familiar to me and I feel sure we have had some correspondence and possibly I have answered this letter.

Nevertheless, we were very happy to receive both your letter and the kind enclosure which you sent for the Christmas baskets. Both are very greatly appreciated. We are happy to have this expression of your interest and from this contact with you and I trust that sometime it may be my pleasure to meet you face to face.

With all good wishes for the new year, I am,

Sincerely yours,

44 Midway
Buffalo N.Y.

Dec. 21 - 1926

Rev. S. M. Robinson,

We heard
your appeal for help to the
four families and regret
that distance makes it
impossible for us to see these
people made happy, perhaps
the enclosure will benefit
some one.

We go to your church
every Sunday and would
be lost without these good
services as we were when
W. M. A. K. were on the higher
wavelength.

We wish you and your
good people a very Merry
Christmas & a Happy New
Year.

How is the new building
coming along?

Yours.

E. J. Oberer.

January 12th, 1927.

Mr. Arthur F. Hall,
Latta, Ont.

My dear Mr. Hall:

Thank you very much for your kind note of January 17th. We appreciate your kindness in letting us hear from you and getting in touch with you.

With all good wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Latta Ont. Jan. 17 1927

Rev. Stewart M. Robinson

Lockport

New York

Dear Sir .

Your sermon of 16inst. was very much enjoyed here over the radio. It came very clear and except for a little interference from other stations.

As we do not have any service here in the morning we very much appreciate hearing one over the radio,

Wishing you continued success, I remain,

Yours Sincerely,

Arthur F. Hall

January 27th, 1917.

R. G. L. Laugh,
Brown Cork and Seal Company,
Toronto, Canada.

My dear Mr. Laugh:

We are in receipt of your letter of January 25th and the
generous enclosure for which please accept our thanks.

Again thanking you, I am,

Very truly yours,

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January 25, 1927.

The Minister,
First Presbyterian Church,
Lockport, N.Y.

Dear Sir,

Last Sunday morning I listened
in on your sermon - James 4, verse 14 -
and enjoyed it just the same as if I were
sitting in your congregation, instead of
being a member of the radio congregation.
Enclosed is my contribution for the morning
service.

Yours very truly,

O. H. Waugh
General Manager.

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January 19th, 1927.

Mrs. Anna Brownell,
76 Virgil Ave.,
Buffalo, N.Y.

My dear Mrs. Brownell:

Thank you very much for your kind note of January 17th. We are happy indeed to know of you and that you enjoy our services on Sunday morning.

The radio is certainly a wonderful invention which God has seen fit to use for the comfort of many of His people who are unable to worship publicly as they would like to do. Thanking you for your kindness in letting us know and with every good wish and prayer for your happiness and welfare, I am,

Sincerely yours,

76 Virgil Ave. Buffalo N. Y.

Jan. 17. 1927.

Rev. Stewart M. Robinson,

Dear Bro. in Christ,

I am in my 79th year, am
unable to attend public worship,
which has been my joy from child-
hood, and want to tell you that I
appreciate your good sermon ^{on the Radio} each
Sabbath morning which brings
inspiration, comfort and
blessing.

Sincerely

Mrs. Anna Brownell

PRESBYTERIAN THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY
OF KENTUCKY
BROADWAY AT FIRST STREET
LOUISVILLE, KY.
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Jan. 24, 1927

Rev. Stewart M. Robinson,
Lockport, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Robinson:

The Chair of Church History in the Louisville Seminary was made vacant by the death of Dr. Dosker last month. Our Seminary is now looking for a man to fill the Chair. I wrote at once to Dr. Loetscher of Princeton Seminary asking him for a recommendation and he replied strongly recommending you.

I am now writing to you unofficially to ask whether you would be willing to accept an invitation to come here and make an address to our students and meet our Faculty. The ostensible object of your coming would be, of course, to make an address to the students, but the purpose I have chiefly in mind is that you should have a chance to meet our Faculty and look over our Seminary and that we should have a chance to meet you.

Our Seminary is one of the youngest Seminaries in our Church, but we have been making quite satisfactory progress during the years of our history. We have now eighty-four students and a Faculty of eight full professors besides some instructors. The salary we pay our professors is \$4,000 and a house. Of course, good preachers like yourself will be wanting to occupy pulpits on the Sabbath day and ought to, and are in demand besides for various occasions and conferences, all of which net our professors a considerable increment to their salaries. The weather in Louisville is hot in the summer, but our Seminary session does not begin till the latter part of September and ends the first week in May, so there is no real hardship involved in that direction if a man cares to spend his summers in the North.

You will find the spirit of our institution quite different from that of Princeton, where I myself was a student many years ago. We are very much nearer to the life of the churches. I may add that Dr. Sherrill, our professor of Religious Education, is of about your own age and is a charming and brilliant fellow. He served as a private in the battle of the Argonne.

Our Seminary is, as you probably know, a combined product of the Northern and the Southern Presbyterian Churches and the Professors as well as the Directors are from both denominations. Entire harmony prevails in the Faculty as well as in the Directorate. We are conservative in theology and evangelical in spirit and progressive in method.

PRESBYTERIAN THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY
OF KENTUCKY

BROADWAY AT FIRST STREET
LOUISVILLE, KY.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

I was in your church service the evening of January 18th and enjoyed and profited by your sermon and I have heard nothing but good about you from every source.

You will understand, of course, that your coming would involve no commitment either on your part or on ours. It would simply give you an opportunity to know us better and us an opportunity to know you better. Our Board meets the first week in May and are likely to elect to the Chair whomever the Faculty recommends. I want, therefore, so far as possible, that the Faculty should meet, if they do not already know, the men that have been recommended for the Chair. There are about five or six of these.

I trust this will seem entirely fair to you. I have put all my cards on the table face up and I trust you will be equally frank with me.

I am enclosing you under separate cover a copy of last year's catalog; the one for this year is not yet off the press.

I am cordially yours,

John M. Vander Meulen.

JMV/MW

Arch Street Presbyterian Church

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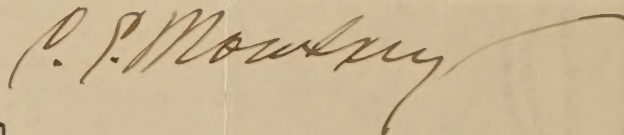
January 31, 1927.

Dear Mr. Robinson:

I am greatly interested in what you tell me about Louisville Seminary. My advise to you would be to take this position, should it be offered you. You have, I am told, marked gifts as a teacher a teacher, and you are still young enough to take hold of this great subject.

Let me know how things go.

Faithfully yours,



To:

The Rev. Stewart M. Robinson
Lockport, N.Y.